Monitoring Priorities and Indicators	Status of APR Data/SPP Revision Issues	OSEP Analysis/Next Steps
1. Percent of youth with IEPs graduating from high school with a regular diploma.	The State revised the indicator and measurement language (consistent with revisions in the Indicator Measurement Table) baseline, targets and improvement activities for this indicator and OSEP accepts those revisions.	OSEP appreciate the State's efforts to improve performance.
[Results Indicator]	The State's FFY 2007 reported data for this indicator are 43.0%. Because the State's actual target data for this indicator are from the same year as the data reported for this indicator in the State's FFY 2007 APR, OSEP was unable to determine whether there was progress or slippage. The State met its revised FFY 2007 target of 40.3%.	
	The State provided a narrative in the SPP that describes the conditions youth must meet to graduate with a regular diploma. The State reported that the conditions that youth with IEPs must meet to graduate with a regular diploma are different than for youth without an IEP. The State explained the difference.	
	The State reported the required graduation rate calculation and timeline established by the Department under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). This means that the State submitted the most recent graduation data that the State reported to the Department as part of its Consolidated State Performance Report (CSPR). In its APR submitted February 1, 2010, the State reported FFY 2007 data for this indicator.	
2. Percent of youth with IEPs dropping out of high school. [Results Indicator]	The State revised the indicator and measurement language (consistent with revisions in the Indicator Measurement Table) and improvement activities for this indicator and OSEP accepts those revisions.	OSEP appreciate the State's efforts to improve performance.
	The State's FFY 2007 reported data for this indicator are 4.4%. Because the State's actual target data for this indicator are from the same year as the data reported for this indicator in the State's FFY 2007 APR, OSEP cannot comment on whether there is progress or slippage. The State met its FFY 2007 target of 4.0%.	
3. Participation and performance of children with IEPs on statewide assessments:A. Percent of the districts with a disability subgroup that meets the	The State revised the improvement activities and OSEP accepts these revisions. The State's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 1% for reading and 3% for math. These data represent slippage from the FFY 2007 data of 7% for reading and 8% for math. The State did not meet its FFY 2008 targets of 49%	OSEP looks forward to the State's data demonstrating improvement in performance in the FFY 2009 APR, due February 1, 2011.

State's minimum "n" size that meet the State's AYP targets for the disability subgroup. [Results Indicator]	for reading and 47% for math.	
3 Participation and performance of children with IEPs on statewide assessments: B. Participation rate for children with IEPs.	The State revised the indicator and measurement language (consistent with revisions in the Indicator Measurement Table) and improvement activities for this indictor and OSEP accepts those revisions. The State's reported data for this indicator are 97.8% for reading and 97.7% for math. These data represent progress from the FFY 2007 data of 96.1% for both reading and math. The State met its FFY 2008 targets of 97% for both reading and math. OSEP notes that the number of students with IEPs used as the denominator for	OSEP appreciates the State's efforts to improve performance
	reading is 233,858 while the number of students with IEPs used as the denominator for math is 234,065. The State accounted for the discrepancy. The State provided web link to 2008 publicly-reported assessment results: http://www.fldoe.org/ese/pdf/databook.pdf	
3. Participation and performance of children with disabilities on statewide assessments:	The State revised the indicator and measurement language (consistent with the revisions in the Indicator Measurement Table) and improvement activities and OSEP accepts those revisions.	OSEP looks forward to the State's data demonstrating improvement in performance in the FFY 2009 APR.
C. Proficiency rate for children with IEPs against grade level, modified and alternate academic achievement standards.	The State's reported data for this indicator are 35.6% for reading and 39.9% for math. These data represent progress from the FFY 2007 data of 31.6% for reading and 35.3% for math. The State did not meet its FFY 2008 targets of 43% for reading and 45% for math.	
[Results Indicator]	The State provided a web link to 2008 publicly-reported assessment results: http://www.fldoe.org/ese/pdf/databook.pdf	
 4. Rates of suspension and expulsion: A. Percent of districts that have a significant discrepancy in the rate of suspensions and expulsions of greater than 10 days in a school year for children with IEPs; and (b) 	The State revised the improvement activities for this indictor and OSEP accepts those revisions. The State's FFY 2007 reported data for this indicator are 9%. Because the State's actual target data for this indicator are from the same year as the data reported for this indicator in the State's FFY 2007 APR, OSEP cannot comment on whether there is progress or slippage. The State did not meet its FFY 2007 target of 7.5%.	OSEP looks forward to the State's data demonstrating improvement in performance in the FFY 2009 APR. The State did not report the results of the review it conducted pursuant to 34 CFR §300.170(b) for two of the six LEAs identified with significant discrepancies in

policies, procedures or practices that contribute to the significant discrepancy and do not comply with requirements relating to the development and implementation of IEPs, the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and procedural safeguards.

[Compliance Indicator; New for FFY 2009]

[Results Indicator]

The State reported its definition of "significant discrepancy."

The State reported that it reviewed the LEA's policies, procedures, and practices relating to the development and implementation of IEPs, the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and procedural safeguards to ensure compliance with the IDEA, as required by 34 CFR §300.170(b) for the LEAs identified with significant discrepancies in FFY 2007 based on data from 2006-2007. No noncompliance was identified as a result of these reviews. The State reported that it revised (or required the affected LEAs to revise), the LEA's practices relating to the development and implementation of IEPs, positive behavioral interventions and supports, and procedural safeguards to ensure compliance with the IDEA, pursuant to 34 CFR §300.170(b), for the LEAs identified with significant discrepancies in FFY 2007 based on data from 2006-2007.

With respect to the six LEAs identified in FFY 2007 with significant discrepancies based on data from 2007-2008, the State reviewed the LEA's policies, procedures, and practices relating to the development and implementation of IEPs, the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and procedural safeguards to ensure compliance with the IDEA, as required by 34 CFR §300.170(b).

The State reported that it revised (or required the affected LEAs to revise), the LEA's policies, procedures, and practices relating to the development and implementation of IEPs, the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and procedural safeguards to ensure compliance with the IDEA, pursuant to 34 CFR §300.170(b) for four of the six LEAs identified with significant discrepancies for FFY 2007. The State reported that four of the six districts identified in FFY 2007 based on data from 2007-2008 completed a self assessment and three of those four districts had findings of noncompliance. The State reported that the LEAs with findings of noncompliance corrected their student-specific noncompliance in a timely manner, and that the three findings of systemic noncompliance were reported as corrected in Indicator 15.

The State did not report on the result of the review it conducted pursuant to 34 CFR §300.170(b), i.e., the State did not report whether it revised (or required the affected LEAs to revise), the LEA's policies, procedures, and practices relating to the development and implementation of IEPs, the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and procedural safeguards to ensure compliance with the IDEA for two of the six LEAs identified with significant

FFY 2007 based on 2007-2008 data.

In the FFY 2009 APR, the State must report whether, as a result of the review, the State revised, or required the affected LEAs to revise, policies, procedures and practices relating to the development and implementation of the IEPs, the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and procedural safeguards to ensure compliance with the IDEA for the two out of six LEAs identified with significant discrepancies in FFY 2007.

	discrepancies for FFY 2007.					
4. Rates of suspension and expulsion:B. Percent of districts that have: (a)	The State is not required to report on this indicator in the FFY 2008 APR.			Indicator 4B is new for FFY 2009. Baseline data from 2008-2009, targets (0%), and improvement activities must be		
a significant discrepancy, by race or ethnicity, in the rate of suspensions and expulsions of greater than 10 days in a school year for children with IEPs; and (b) policies, procedures or practices that contribute to the significant discrepancy and do not comply with requirements relating to the development and implementation of IEPs, the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and procedural safeguards. [Compliance Indicator; New for FFY 2009]						submitted with the FFY 2009 APR.
5. Percent of children with IEPs aged 6 through 21 served:A. Inside the regular class 80% or more of the day;	The State revised the measurement language (consistent with revisions in the Indicate indicator and OSEP accepts those revisions The State's reported data for this indicate	or Measur				OSEP appreciates the State's efforts to improve performance and looks forward to the State's data demonstrating improvement in performance in the FFY
B. Inside the regular class less than		FFY	FFY	FFY	Progress	2009 APR.
40% of the day; or C. In separate schools, residential		2007	2008	2008	11051033	
facilities, or homebound/hospital		Data	Data	Targ		
placements.				et		
[Results Indicator]	A. % Inside the regular class 80% or more of the day	60.64	63.05	58.8	2.41%	
	B. % Inside the regular class less than 40% of the day	18.4	16.9	21.3	1.50%	

	C. % In separate schools, resident facilities, or homebound/hospid placements These data represent progress for met its FFY 2008 targets for 5A for 5C.	or 5A and 5B and				
6. Percent of children aged 3 through 5 with IEPs attending a: A. Regular early childhood program and receiving the majority of special education and related services in the regular early childhood program; and B. Separate special education class, separate school or residential facility. [Results Indicator; New]	The State is not required to repo	ort on this indicate	or in the FF	Y 2008 A	APR.	The instruction package for the FFY 2009 APR/SPP will provide guidance regarding the information that States must report for this indicator in their FFY 2009 APRs.
7. Percent of preschool children aged 3 through 5 with IEPs who demonstrate improved: A. Positive social-emotional skills (including social relationships); B. Acquisition and use of knowledge and skills (including early language/ communication and early literacy); and C. Use of appropriate behaviors to meet their needs. [Results Indicator]	The State revised the measurem Indicator Measurement Table) at The State provided FFY 2008 be activities for this indicator and Coindicator. The State's FFY 2008 reported 108-09 Preschool Outcome Baseline Data 1000 Outcome Baseline Data 1000 Outcome A: Positive social-emotional 1000 Preschool Outcome A: Positive social-emotiona	and OSEP accepts aseline data, targ OSEP accepts the	those reviets, and imp State's sub	sions. provemen omission	nt for this	The State must report progress data and actual target data for FFY 2009 with the FFY 2009 APR.

¹ Summary Statement 1: Of those preschool children who entered the preschool program below age expectations in each Outcome, the percent who substantially increased their rate of growth by the time they turned six years of age or exited the program.

² Summary Statement 2: The percentage of preschool children who were functioning within age expectations in each Outcome by the time they turned six years of age or exited the program.

	skills (including social relationships) (%) Outcome B: Acquisition and use of knowledge and skills (including early language/communication) (%) Outcome C: Use of appropriate behaviors to meet their needs (%)	58.8 59.5	73.3	
8. Percent of parents with a child receiving special education services who report that schools facilitated parent involvement as a means of improving services and results for children with disabilities. [Results Indicator]	The State revised the improvem OSEP accepts those revisions. The State's FFY 2008 preschood State's FFY 2008 K-12 reported not meet its revised FFY 2008 to 38% for the K-12 survey for this OSEP was unable to determine the because the State is reporting the and parents of children in grader result, Florida revised its targets 2008 data as its revised baseline.	I reported data for this in data for this indicator argets of 47% for the present indictor. Whether there was proger results from parents of the second of	ndicator are 43%. The are 32%. The State did reschool survey and ress or slippage f preschool children e first time. As a	
9. Percent of districts with disproportionate representation of racial and ethnic groups in special education and related services that is the result of inappropriate identification. [Compliance Indicator]	The State revised the improvem accepts those revisions. The State's FFY 2008 reported remain unchanged from the FFY 2008 target of 0%. The State reported that no district representation of racial and ethn services. The State provided its definition	OSEP appreciates that State's efforts regarding this indicator. OSEP will be carefully reviewing each State's definition of disproportionate representation and will contact the State if there are questions or concerns.		
10. Percent of districts with disproportionate representation of racial and ethnic groups in specific disability categories that is the result	The State revised the improvem accepts those revisions. The State's FFY 2008 reported	OSEP appreciates the State's efforts and looks forward to reviewing, in the FFY 2009 APR, the State's data demonstrating		

of inappropriate identification.

[Compliance Indicator]

remain unchanged from the FFY 2007 data of 1.38%. The State did not meet its FFY 2008 target of 0%.

The State reported that 13 districts were identified with disproportionate representation of racial and ethnic groups in specific disability categories in special education and related services in FFY 2008. The State also reported that one district was identified with disproportionate representation of racial and ethnic groups in specific disability categories that was the result of inappropriate identification.

The State provided its definition of disproportionate representation.

The State reported that the one finding of noncompliance identified in FFY 2007 for this indicator was corrected in a timely manner.

compliance.

Because the State reported less than 100% compliance for FFY 2008 (greater than 0% actual target data for this indicator), the State must report on the status of correction of noncompliance reflected in the data the State reported for this indicator. The State must demonstrate, in the FFY 2009 APR, that the district identified in FFY 2008 with disproportionate representation of racial and ethnic groups in specific disability categories that was the result of inappropriate identification is in compliance with the requirements of 34 CFR §§300.111, 300.201, and 300.301 through 300.311, including that the State verified that each district with noncompliance: (1) is correctly implementing the specific regulatory requirements (i.e., achieved 100% compliance) based on a review of updated data such as data subsequently collected through on-site monitoring or a State data system; and (2) has corrected each individual case of noncompliance, unless the child is no longer within the jurisdiction of the district, consistent with OSEP Memorandum 09-02, dated October 17, 2008 (OSEP Memo 09-02). In the FFY 2009 APR, the State must describe the specific actions that were taken to verify the correction. If the State is unable to demonstrate compliance with those requirements in the FFY 2009 APR, the State must review its improvement activities and revise them, if necessary to ensure compliance.

OSEP will be carefully reviewing each

		State's definition of disproportionate representation and will contact the State if there are questions or concerns.
11. Percent of children who were evaluated within 60 days of receiving parental consent for initial evaluation or, if the State establishes a timeframe within which the evaluation must be conducted, within that timeframe. [Compliance Indicator]	The State revised the measurement language (consistent with revisions in the Indicator Measurement Table) and improvement activities for this indicator and OSEP accepts those revisions. The State's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 97%. These data represent progress from the FFY 2007 data of 94%. The State did not meet its FFY 2008 target of 100%. The State reported that all 3,425 of its findings of noncompliance, including the 10 LEAs with findings of noncompliance, identified in FFY 2007 for this indicator were corrected in a timely manner.	OSEP appreciates the State's efforts and looks forward to reviewing in the FFY 2009 APR, the State's data demonstrating that it is in compliance with the timely initial evaluation requirements in 34 CFR §300.301(c)(1). Because the State reported less than 100% compliance for FFY 2008, the State must report on the status of correction of noncompliance reflected in the data the State reported for this indicator. When reporting on the correction of
		noncompliance, the State must report, in its FFY 2009 APR, that it has verified that each LEA with noncompliance reflected in the data the State reported for this indicator: (1) is correctly implementing 34 CFR §300.301(c)(1) (i.e., achieved 100% compliance) based on a review of updated data such as data subsequently collected through on-site monitoring or a State data system; and (2) has completed the evaluation, although late, for any child whose initial evaluation was not timely, unless the child is no longer within the jurisdiction of the LEA, consistent with OSEP Memo 09-02. In the FFY 2009 APR, the State must describe the specific actions that were taken to verify the correction.
		If the State does not report 100% compliance in the FFY 2009 APR, the State must review its improvement activities and revise them, if necessary.

12. Percent of children referred by Part C prior to age 3, who are found eligible for Part B, and who have an IEP developed and implemented by their third birthdays. [Compliance Indicator]	The State revised the measurement language (consistent with the revisions in the Indicator Measurement Table) and improvement activities for this indicator and OSEP accepts those revisions. The State's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 99.2%. These data represent progress from the FFY 2007 data of 90.2%. The State did not meet its FFY 2008 target of 100%. The State reported that all 469 of its findings of noncompliance identified in FFY 2007 for this indicator were corrected in a timely manner.	OSEP appreciates the State's efforts and looks forward to reviewing in the FFY 2009 APR, the State's data demonstrating that it is in compliance with the early childhood transition requirements in 34 CFR §300.124(b). Because the State reported less than 100% compliance for FFY 2008, the State must report on the status of correction of noncompliance reflected in the data the State reported for this indicator.
		When reporting the correction of noncompliance, the State must report, in its FFY 2009 APR, that it has verified that each LEA with noncompliance reflected in the data the State reported for this indicator: (1) is correctly implementing 34 CFR §300.124(b) (i.e., achieved 100% compliance) based on a review of updated data such as data subsequently collected through on-site monitoring or a State data system; and (2) has developed and implemented the IEP, although late, for any child for whom implementation of the IEP was not timely, unless the child is no longer within the jurisdiction of the LEA, consistent with OSEP Memo 09-02. In the FFY 2009 APR, the State must describe the specific actions that were taken to verify the correction. If the State does not report 100%
		ompliance in the FFY 2009 APR, the State must review its improvement activities and revise them, if necessary.
13. Percent of youth with IEPs aged 16 and above with an IEP that includes appropriate measurable	The State is not required to provide actual target data for FFY 2008 for this indicator.	In the FFY 2009 APR, the State must provide a revised baseline using data from

postsecondary goals that are	The State reported that all 297 findings of noncompliance identified in FFY	2009-2010. Targets must remain 100%.
annually updated and based upon an	2007 were corrected in a timely manner.	
age appropriate transition	The State reported that one finding of noncompliance identified in FFY 2006	
assessment, transition services,	for this indicator was corrected.	
including courses of study, that will	for this indicator was corrected.	
reasonably enable the student to		
meet those postsecondary goals, and		
annual IEP goals related to the		
student's transition services needs.		
There also must be evidence that the		
student was invited to the IEP Team		
meeting where transition services		
are to be discussed and evidence		
that, if appropriate, a representative		
of any participating agency was		
invited to the IEP Team meeting		
with the prior consent of the parent		
or student who has reached the age		
of majority.		
[Compliance Indicator]		
14. Percent of youth who are no	The State is not required to provide actual target data, targets or improvement	In the FFY 2009 APR, the State must
longer in secondary school, had	activities for FFY 2008 for this indicator.	report a new baseline, targets, and, as
IEPs in effect at the time they left	detivities for 11 1 2000 for this indicator.	needed, improvement activities.
school, and were:		needed, improvement detryties.
A. Enrolled in higher education		
within one year of leaving high		
school.		
B. Enrolled in higher education or		
competitively employed within one		
year of leaving high school.		
C. Enrolled in higher education or		
in some other postsecondary		
education or training program; or		
competitively employed or in some		
other employment within one year		
of leaving high school.		

[Results Indicator]		
15. General supervision system (including monitoring, complaints, hearings, etc.) identifies and corrects noncompliance as soon as possible but in no case later than one year from identification. [Compliance Indicator]	The State's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 99.8%. These data represent progress from the FFY 2007 data of 99.6%. The State did not meet its FFY 2008 target of 100%. The State reported that 1,302 of 1,305 findings of noncompliance identified in FFY 2007 were corrected in a timely manner and that three of three remaining findings subsequently were corrected by February 1, 2010. The State reported that one finding of noncompliance identified in FFY 2006 was corrected by February 1, 2010. The State was identified as being in need of assistance for two consecutive years based on the State's FFY's 2006 and 2007 APRs, was advised of available technical assistance, and was required to report, with the FFY 2008 APR, on: (1) the technical assistance sources from which the State received assistance; and (2) the actions the State took as a result of that technical assistance. The State reported on the technical assistance sources from which the State received assistance for this indicator and reported on the actions the State took as a result of that technical assistance.	OSEP appreciates the State's efforts and looks forward to reviewing in the FFY 2009 APR, the State's data demonstrating that the State timely corrected noncompliance, identified in FFY 2008, in accordance with 20 U.S.C. 1232d(b)(3)(E) and 34 CFR §§300.149 and 300.600(e) and OSEP Memo 09-02. In reporting on correction of noncompliance in the FFY 2009 APR, the State must report that it verified that each LEA with noncompliance identified in FFY 2008: (1) is correctly implementing the specific regulatory requirements (i.e. achieved 100% compliance) based on a review of updated data such as data subsequently collected through on-site monitoring or a State data system; and (2) has corrected each individual case of noncompliance, unless the child is no longer within the jurisdiction of the LEA, consistent with OSEP Memo 09-02. In the FFY 2009 APR, the State must describe the specific actions that were taken to verify the correction. In addition, in reporting on Indicator 15 in the FFY 2009 APR, the State must use the Indicator 15 Worksheet. In addition, in responding to Indicators 10, 11, and 12 in the FFY 2009 APR, the State must report on correction of the noncompliance described in this table under those indicators.
16. Percent of signed written	The State indicated in its FFY 2008 APR that it revised its indicator language	OSEP appreciates the State's efforts in

complaints with reports issued that were resolved within 60-day timeline or a timeline extended for exceptional circumstances with respect to a particular complaint, or because the parent (or individual or organization) and the public agency agree to extend the time to engage in mediation or other alternative means of dispute resolution, if available in the State. [Compliance Indicator]	(consistent with revisions in the Indicator Measurement Table) for this indicator. The State's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 100%. These data remain unchanged from the FFY 2007 data of 100%. The State met its FFY 2008 target of 100%.	achieving compliance with the timely complaint resolution requirements in 34 CFR §300.152.
17. Percent of adjudicated due process hearing requests that were adjudicated within the 45-day timeline or a timeline that is properly extended by the hearing officer at the request of either party or in the case of an expedited hearing, within the required timelines. [Compliance Indicator]	The State indicated in its FFY 2008 APR that it revised its indicator language (consistent with revisions in the Indicator Measurement Table) for this indicator. The State's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 100%. These data remain unchanged from the FFY 2007 data of 100%. The State met its FFY 2008 target of 100%.	OSEP appreciates the State's efforts in achieving compliance with the due process hearing timeline requirements in 34 CFR §300.515.
18. Percent of hearing requests that went to resolution sessions that were resolved through resolution session settlement agreements. [Results Indicator]	The State revised the improvement activities for this indicator and OSEP accepts those revisions. The State's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 69%. These data remain unchanged from the FFY 2007 data of 69%. The State met its FFY 2008 target of 58%.	OSEP looks forward to reviewing the State's data in the FFY 2009 APR.
19. Percent of mediations held that resulted in mediation agreements.[Results Indicator]	The State revised the improvement activities for this indicator and OSEP accepts those revisions. The State's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 73%. These data remain unchanged from the FFY 2007 data of 73%. The State did not meet its FFY 2008 target of 75-85%.	OSEP looks forward to reviewing the State's data in the FFY 2009 APR.
20. State reported data (618 and	The State's FFY 2008 reported data for this indicator are 97.62%. These data	OSEP appreciates the State's efforts and

State Performance Plan and Annual Performance Report) are timely and accurate.	represent slippage from the FFY 2007 data of 100%. The State did not meet its FFY 2008 target of 100%.	looks forward to reviewing in the FFY 2009 APR, the State's data demonstrating that it is in compliance with the timely and
[Compliance Indicator]		accurate data reporting requirements in IDEA sections 616 and 618 and 34 CFR §\$76.720 and 300.601(b).
		In reporting on Indicator 20 in the FFY 2009 APR, the State must use the Indicator 20 Data Rubric.
		If the State does not report 100% compliance in the FFY 2009 APR, the State must review its improvement activities and revise them, if necessary.